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1961/04/16

TOP SECRET

APR 16 2319Z 61

EMERGENCY

IN 3811

C/DPD 1-2

DD/P 3-4, COP 5, ADOP/A 6, 7-14, C/M 15,

680

CHRG

9896 (OUT 89589-G) *
9899 *x

1. 10 B-26S SCHEDULED FOR STRATEGIC TARGETS D-DAY PER REF
1. A OF THESE HAVE SECONDARY MISSION TO PROVIDE GROUND SUPPORT
1200Z TO 1200Z. ELEVENTH A/C HAS TIME OVER BEACH OF 1200Z AND CAN
LOITER UNTIL 1430 HOURS. TWO A/C ASSIGNED NAPALM (VOR4) MISSION
WILL MAKE QUICK TURN AROUND AND WITH 230 CAL BOMBAY TANK INSTALLATION
PLUS REINSTALLED EXTERNALS WILL HAVE CAPABILITY TO LOITER 3 1/2
HOURS OVER BEACH. ESTIMATED TIME OVER BEACH THESE TWO A/C 1815Z.
THIS LEAVES NO AIR COVER OVER BEACH 1330Z TO 1815Z (4 - 45 HRS). ?

2. REQUEST GUIDANCE AS TO PRIORITY AND WHICH TARGETS TO POSTPONE
IF SUPPORT PRIORITY NBR 1.

END OF MESSAGE

C/S COMMENTS: PERTAINED TO OPS PLAN NUMBER 200-1.

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